

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA | : | 20cr179-7 (DLC) |
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| -v- | : | <u>ORDER</u> |
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| ARINZE OBIKA, | : | |
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| Defendant. | : | |
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DENISE COTE, District Judge:


A sentencing is scheduled to occur on **May 14, 2021** at **10:00 AM**. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the defendant may have the option of appearing in court or through a videoconference. Accordingly, it is hereby

ORDERED that defense counsel shall respond to the following question by **5:00 PM** on **May 5, 2021**:

Does the defendant consent to have the proceeding occur as a videoconference?

If the defendant consents to have the proceeding occur as a videoconference, please complete and file on ECF the written consent form attached to this Order if it is feasible to do so.

Dated: New York, New York
April 26, 2021



DENISE COTE
United States District Judge